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O. Summary

As described in Reference [3], the Defense Logistics Studies Information Exchange (DLSIE) produced a magnetic tape file version of a custom bibliography, namely, the "DLSIE studies tape," as a one-time accommodation to assist the Program in Logistics in completing its subcontract with the Air Force Logistics Management Center (AFLMC). Production was achieved by altering standard computer programs used by DLSIE whereby all "write to printer" commands were replaced by "write to tape." Reference [1] treats the de-editing of the tape and the generation of input to STAIRS [4] at the AFLMC. The present report describes the DLSIE studies tape and some associated data. Appendix A is the 145-page "DLSIE studies tape LD index." Appendix B is the 51-page "One percent sample from DLSIE studies tape." Reference [2] treats the associated DLSIE models tape.

1. The custom bibliography

A custom bibliography was produced by DLSIE on 1 August 1983 with resulting output of a magnetic tape file rather than a standard computer printout. All such bibliographies are collections of study abstracts, each one of which summarizes a single document by means of a one- or two-page computer printout. The search criteria in the present case were the following.

Only completed documents with publication dates in 1978 or later

All documents sponsored or performed by the U-S- Air Force

All aircraft-related documents by all sponsors and all performers

All documents entered from periodical publishers (for all sponsors, all performers, and all topics)

A total of 5,774 documents satisfied these criteria. The machine-readable version was recorded on a reel of nine-track 1600 BPI tape. The printed version would have consisted of over 6,000 pages--about 2 1/2 standard cartons of paper--and it was not printed. Instead, as noted above, an index and a one percent sample were printed for inclusion as appendixes to the present report.

The first entry in each line in Appendix A is the four-digit document number which records the serial location of the document on the tape. Second is the logistics document (LD) number which DLSIE assigns and uses to prepare custom bibliographies and to furnish microfiche copies of documents it distributes. The initial segment of the title appears third on each line and it is followed by the initial segment of the name of the performing organization (or name of the periodical publication).

2. Input for STAIRS

As described in [1], the DLSIE studies tape was de-edited and data were generated for input of the documents to STAIRS [4] at the AFLMC. This can be viewed as rewriting the DLSIE data elements--the entries which appear in their study abstracts--in the form of 72-column card images. For STAIRS, the "card types" are identified by three-character STAIRS "paragraph codes" as shown in Table 1 and these 35 codes cover all of the DLSIE entries appearing in study abstracts. The nine-character "Labels" are abbreviated identifiers which appear when results from STAIRS are displayed or printed. Prefixes "D-" denote codes for data originating at DLSIE. Entries "AFLMC Standard" under "Contents" in Table 1 identify codes previously used for STAIRS at the AFLMC. Code 910, D-AGENCY, generally identifies sponsors, performers, or publishers; there are eight possible entries, namely, Department of Defense, Department of the Army, Department of the Air Force, Department of the Navy, Defense Logistics Agency, Non-Governmental Agencies-Independent Research, Periodical Publishers, and Other Governmental Agencies. Agency is commonly the primary sequence, and LD number is the secondary, for DLSIE products.

Table 1. STAIRS Paragraph Codes for the DLSIE Studies Tape

Code	-Label	Contents
***	(Doc No)	AFLMC Standard: LD NUMBER
OAO	DATE:	AFLMC Standard: 19YY Only
010		AFLMC Standard: TITLE
	AUTHOR:	AFLMC Standard: AUTHOR (S)
030	AUTHOR: RPT-NUM:	AFLMC Standard: AUTHOR (S) AFLMC Standard: AGENCY REPORT NUMBER
040	TYPE:	AFLMC Standard: TYPE DOCUMENT
050	PERFORMER	AFLMC Standard: TYPE DOCUMENT AFLMC Standard: PERFORMING ORGANIZATION
052	D-P-CONTA	CONTACT
054	D-P-PHONE	PHONE NUMBER
056	D-P-ATTEN	ATTENTION
058	D-P-CONTR	CONTRACT NO.
060	SPONSOR:	AFLMC Standard: SPONSOR
062	D-S-CONTA	AFLMC Standard: SPONSOR CONTACT
064	D-S-PHONE	PHONE NUMBER
066	D-S-ATTEN	ATTENTION
		AFLMC Standard: NUMBER OF PAGES
		AFLMC Standard: SECURITY CLASSIFICATION
092	D-AD #	AD NUMBER
094	D-RELEASE	RELEASE LIMITATION
096	D-AVAILAB	AD NUMBER RELEASE LIMITATION AVAILABLE FROM
102	D-SUBJECT D-FUNCTIO	SUBJECT
		DESCRIPTOR
110	ABSTRACT:	AFLMC Standard: ABSTRACT
112	D-CONCLUS	CONCLUSIONS
114	D-RECOMME	RECOMMENDATIONS
116	D-IMPLEME	IMPLEMENTING ACTIONS
900	D-PRODUCT	DLSIE PRODUCT = STUDY ABSTRACT
	D-AGENCY	
920	D-SEARCH#	DLSIE SEARCH NUMBER
000		market the state
		TIME FRAME
940	D-STATUS	STATUS
950	D-START	DATE STARTED EXPECTED COMPLETION DATE
9/0	D-UPDATE	DATE OF LAST UPDATE AT DLSIE

Table 2 contains the STAIRS "Paragaph class names" that go with the displayed intervals of STAIRS paragraph codes. If the interval consists of one number, for example, as in the case of 010, then there is only one code that goes with the class name. Otherwise, there can be more than one; for example, codes 050, 052, 054, 056, and 058 in Table 1 go together into the STAIRS paragraph labeled "PERFORMER."

Table 2. STAIRS Paragraph Class Names

INTERVAL	NAMES
*** ***	(DOC NO)
OAO OAO	DATE:
010 010	TITLE:
020 020	AUTHOR:
030 030	RPT-NUM:
040 040	TYPE:
050 059	PERFORMER
060 066	SPONSOR:
070 070	PAGES:
080 080	CLASS:
090 096	DISTRIB:
100 100	KEYWORDS:
102 102	D-SUBJECT
104 104	D-FUNCTIO
106 106	D-DESCRIP
110 119	ABSTRACT:
800 816	D-MODEL1
818 842	D-MODEL2
900 970	D-IDENTIF

Table 2 actually lists all STAIRS paragraph class names for this application at the AFLMC; for example, D-MODEL1 and D-MODEL2 pertain to the DLSIE models tape [2] and not to the present studies tape.

The KEYWORDS paragraph in Table 2 refers to the AFLMC class name for entries taken from Forms DD1473 and other sources. Paragraphs numbered 102, 104, and 106 pertain to subject areas, functions (categories for studies), and descriptors, respectively, assigned and used at DLSIE to classify the documents in their data base. There appear to be eight different subjects, about 30 categories, and over 2,000 descriptors for the DLSIE studies data base.

3. One percent sample

Appendix B is a 51-page listing, "One percent sample from DLSIE studies tape," where all data for 58 documents appear identified by corresponding STAIRS paragraph codes from Table 1. The sample consists of every 100th document where the sequencing of the tape--primary is agency and secondary is LD number, as noted above--was retained. The final columns in Appendix B contain the serial document numbers for the tape and the line numbers within STAIRS paragraph codes.

Generally there is one document per page in Appendix B but some documents require more than one page and others fit two per page. Minor imperfections—for example, missing initial letters such as in 110, 112, and 116 on page 7 and originating from variations in initial columns for original data entry—will cause no difficulties in searches using STAIRS; they could easily be removed by refining the programs in [1].

Given that 57 documents require 51 pages in Appendix B, the entire custom bibliography would require about 5,000 pages and, even in the present compactly printed two-sided form, it would be about 11 inches thick.

4. Common entries

Cross references for the custom bibliography and the related catalog of models are presented in [2].

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